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FROM: Accra

TO: Secretary of State

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[redacted] advises ~~Detwiler sought him out in New York~~ regarding scheme for financing Volta River project which United States Govt allegedly backing with view obtaining aluminum production for use US industry.

(2) [redacted] wishes head off any illfounded promotional ver ure. While grateful info DEPTEL 25, September 23 he believes categorical reply following question would help him dispose of matter, does US Govt contemplate extending loan or grant either directly or thru intermediaries for use implementing Volta project? If feasible Dept comment respecting allegation US interested in establishing some claim on eventual Gold Coast aluminum production could serve to clarify Prime Minister's thinking this subject.

Wld appreciate reply earliest since Bond and Detwiler understood about to emplane for Accra.

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